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MAIL STOP APPEAL BRIEF-PATENTS

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re the Patent Application of

Yuji MURAYAMA et al.

Art Unit: 2876

Serial No. 09/739,318

Examiner: E. Labaze

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For: PORTABLE ELECTRONIC APPARATUS, IC CARD AND READER/WRITER

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on November 7, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

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18. (amended) An IC card for receiving data transmitted by a reader/writer and for outputting data from an internal memory in

return, said IC card comprising:

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